

# PICKING UP THE PIECES

As recorded by Quiet Riot

(from the 1993 Album "The Randy Rhoads Years")

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**A Intro** \*\*\* Check performance notes \*\*\*

$\text{♩} = 135$   
N.C.

D C G A

Gtr I (Wah On - \*\*\*)

(Wah Off)

P M.

**B Verses**

D G A

10

P.M. ....-|

D G A

14

P.M.-----|

T A B

**C** Pre-Chorus

Em G A Em G A

18

Gtr III let ring-----| Gtr I

T A B

**D** Chorus

Bm A G A Bm A G A

22

Gtr I

T A B

Bm A G A

26

T A B

1.

D

29

P.M. ....| P.M. ....| P.M. ....|

T		12	10	10		12	12	10	10		12	12	10	12
A	0	0	12	11	11	0	0				12	12	12	11
B														

2.

G D D G D

32

H H

T	10	10	12			12	10	12		10	12		10	12
A				0	0	3	4	2	0	0	12	11	12	12
B														

**E Solo**

D

35

8va-----|

Full

sl. sl. sl. sl.

Gtr II

T														
A														
B	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	3	3	3	3	3	0

8va-----D-----|

38

Full Full Full

P

G-----A-----|

41

P P P P

Octave On

8va

E

A5

Full

Full

Full

Full

P

T

A

B

T

A

B

0 0 2 0 3 4 0 3 4 0

45

8va

E

A5

Octave Off

Full

17 7 15 19 19

14 14 14 12 16 16 16

P

T

A

B

2 2 2 0 3 4 0 2 2 0

H

sl.

**F Chorus**

1.  
Bm A G A D/A A

51

T 2 3 2 2 3  
A 4 4 4 2 2  
B 2 2 2 0 3

2.  
Bm A G A

55

T 2 3 2 2 3  
A 4 4 4 2 2  
B 2 2 2 0 3

**G Intro Revisit**

(Wah On - \*\*\*)

D G A

58

T 8 8 7 8 7  
A 0 0 9 9 7  
B 0 0 0 0 0

P P P P 10 sl.

(Wah Off)

**H Outro Chorus**

D G D G D

62

T 12 12 10 12 10  
A 0 0 12 12 11  
B 0 0 0 0 0

P H

66

D G D G D

T 12 12 10 12 12 10 10 12 10 12

A 0 0 12 12 11 0 0 12 12 11 11 10 12 0 0 3 4 2

B

P H